CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate a week in July 2014 as Independent Retailers Week.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Ohio (the Senate concurring):

WHEREAS, The greatness of the United States lies in the opportunities it provides to the dreamer in all of us; and

WHEREAS, Independent retailers, being entrepreneurs who pursue a dream and assume the risk of business, create jobs, and keep alive the dream of business ownership; and

WHEREAS, Many large retailers in the United States began as independent, family-owned businesses; and

WHEREAS, The General Assembly intends to encourage entrepreneurship in the United States; and

WHEREAS, It is fitting to celebrate independent retailers during the period when the United States celebrates its independence; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That Monday, June 30, through Sunday, July 6, in 2014 is designated Independent Retailers Week"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit duly authenticated copies of this resolution to the news media of Ohio.

Speaker	of the House of Representatives.

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President ______ of the Senate.

Adopted _______, 20_____